## Senate Joint Resolution 2001 - Introduced

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- 1 A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution
- of the State of Iowa relating to medical freedom.
- 3 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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- 1 Section 1. The following amendment to the Constitution of
- 2 the State of Iowa is proposed:
- 3 Article I of the Constitution of the State of Iowa is amended
- 4 by adding the following new section:
- 5 Sec. 27. The right to medical freedom. The right of a
- 6 person to refuse any medical procedure, treatment, injection,
- 7 vaccine, or prophylactic shall not be questioned or interfered
- 8 with in any manner. Equality of rights under the law shall not
- 9 be denied or abridged to any person in this state because of
- 10 the exercise of the right under this section.
- 11 Sec. 2. REFERRAL AND PUBLICATION. The foregoing proposed
- 12 amendment to the Constitution of the State of Iowa is referred
- 13 to the general assembly to be chosen at the next general
- 14 election for members of the general assembly, and shall be
- 15 published as provided by law for three consecutive months
- 16 previous to the date of that election.
- 17 EXPLANATION
- 18 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
- 19 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.
- 20 This joint resolution proposes an amendment to the
- 21 Constitution of the State of Iowa specifying that the right of
- 22 a person to refuse any medical procedure, treatment, injection,
- 23 vaccine, or prophylactic shall not be questioned or interfered
- 24 with in any manner. Equality of rights under the law shall not
- 25 be denied or abridged to any person in this state because of
- 26 the exercise of the right under this section.
- 27 The joint resolution, if adopted, would be published and
- 28 then referred to the next general assembly (90th) for adoption,
- 29 before being submitted to the electorate for ratification.